

LYNCHBURG CITY COUNCIL

Agenda Item Summary

MEETING DATE: **May 13, 2003**

AGENDA ITEM NO.: 6

CONSENT: **X**

REGULAR:

CLOSED SESSION:

ACTION: **X**

INFORMATION:

(Confidential)

ITEM TITLE: State and Local All-Hazards Operations Planning Grant Program, offered through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve appropriation of \$17,167 with resources of \$17,167 from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), State and Local All-Hazard Planning Grant Program for funding enhancements of ongoing emergency operations planning program.

SUMMARY:

The Federal Emergency Management Agency has authorized grant funds to assist the State of Virginia and its localities to enhance ongoing local emergency operations planning and to begin the process of developing strategies for overall local preparedness. The Virginia Department of Emergency Management is the designated state agency charged to manage this program. This grant allows local governments to produce comprehensive plans that address preparation for and response to all threats, including terrorist attacks. These funds will be available to the City through approximately December 12, 2003. Funding is allocated as follows: \$17,167 for local preparedness emergency planning.

PRIOR ACTION(S):

May 6, 2003 Finance and Planning Committee Review

BUDGET IMPACT:

None

Appropriation of \$17,167 for local preparedness emergency planning, fully reimbursable by the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

CONTACT(S):

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Coordinator of Emergency Services

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Deputy Coordinator of Emergency Services

ATTACHMENT(S):

➤ Resolution

REVIEWED BY: lkp

Resolution

BE IT RESOLVED That \$17,167 is appropriated to the City/Federal/State Aid Fund, with resources of \$17,167 from the Federal Emergency Management Agency, for the funding of local preparedness emergency planning, and;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That the Financial Services Director is authorized to make such transfer of funds to the City/Federal/State Aid Fund as necessary to fund this action.

Introduced:

Adopted:

Certified:

Clerk of Council

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